Get matched with an experienced, successful student or alumni mentor through Ashford University’s CHAMPS peer mentoring program.

Each pairing follows a seven-milestone program designed to promote your success as a student. To help partner you with the best mentor, choose from one of the five plans outlined below.

### Expand Your Support Community
Setting out to complete your degree is a major undertaking, and you don’t need to go it alone. The **CHAMPS Expand Your Support Community mentoring plan** is designed to pair you up with a mentor who is in your corner and who will act as a sounding board for your ideas as you move through your program. This plan is perfect for you if you are looking to increase your sense of community and belonging. This plan focuses on opportunities to further immerse you into the various Ashford learning communities.

### Undergraduate Academic Preparedness
This plan includes information regarding the things you wish you knew on your first day of school. Designed for students still acclimating to the Ashford environment, the **CHAMPS Undergraduate Academic Preparedness plan** will introduce you to critical learning resources and fundamental student skills that will shape you into the student you want to be. You’ll pair with a mentor who has been there before, who matches your background and family dynamics, and who will invest themselves into your development.

### Career and Professional Development
Looking to take control of your career trajectory and professional development? The **CHAMPS Career and Professional Development plan** is designed to help you identify and act on additional opportunities to get the most out of your time at Ashford. Ideal for second-year students and beyond, this plan focuses on resources and opportunities that will enhance your leadership, professional development, and career marketability.

### Military Academic Preparedness & Career Transitioning
Going to school and transitioning to civilian life are both major events. The **CHAMPS Military Academic Preparedness & Career Transitioning plan** is designed exclusively for military students seeking to enhance their utilization of Ashford learning resources within the context of their military background. Under the guidance of your military mentor, you’ll explore topics related to academic success as well as the nuances of being a military student.

### Graduate Academic Preparedness
As a graduate student, you face a unique set of challenges. The **CHAMPS Graduate Academic Preparedness plan** is designed exclusively to help you transition into a graduate program. Your graduate mentor will talk you through the nuances of being a graduate-level student while touching base on some of Ashford’s most important and effective learning resources.